From:

Easterling, Deborah

Sent:

Monday, January 26, 2015 12:34 PM

To:

'braddock cunningham'

Subject:

RE: Uber and ridesharing in South Carolina

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Dear Mr. Cunningham,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. I am forwarding your email to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email will become a part of Docket No. 2014-372-T and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling
Administrative Coordinator

From: braddock cunningham [mailto:braddockgeneral@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, January 17, 2015 1:18 PM

To: PSC_Contact

Cc: _RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group **Subject:** Uber and ridesharing in South Carolina

I just learned that ridesharing has been halted in South Carolina due to a ruling this past week.

This is unfair and hurts the consumers of this state. The taxi cab service in this state is terrible. Taxis are rarely available or accessible if you are at a party or restaurant and need a ride home, calling a cab is much less favorable compared to a service such as Uber ... because...the cab will take no less than 30 minutes to get to you, I have waited an hour before. Then when it finally does arrive, the cab will be dirty, the car falling apart and high prices. A ridesharing service such as Uber provides quick arrivals... I have never waited more than 10 minutes for uber...most of the time they arrive in 5 minutes. The cars are clean, I can select a nicer car even if I am going out with clients, or a date.

This seems to be an attack on the free market and a company's right to provide a needed service. How can you justify that is OK to call a car/limo service to take me somewhere...yet you have made uber halt it's service? How does that make ANY sense????

The Uber service is less expensive than taxis in nearly every trip I have experienced. The cars are cleaner and safer than taxis. Uber provides a MUCH needed service to the consumers of this state.

REVERSE this decision and let free commerce continue.

Braddock G. Cunningham Simpsonville SC

From:

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To:

'Don Owen'

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From: Don Owen [mailto:deowenjr@aol.com]
Sent: Saturday, January 17, 2015 1:13 PM

To: PSC_Contact

Cc: _RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group

Subject: Uber

Please allow Uber to do their much needed work. Current can service is horrible and it saves lives due to drunk driving because of this fact!

Smarten up and do the right thing.

Don Owen (310) 463-9152 deowenjr@aol.com

From:

Easterling, Deborah

Sent:

Monday, January 26, 2015 12:33 PM

To:

'Gretchen Hutter'

Subject:

RE: Uber

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From: Gretchen Hutter [mailto:gretchen.hutter@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, January 17, 2015 1:12 PM

To: PSC_Contact

Cc: _RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group

Subject: Uber

I am extremely disappointed in your actions to block Uber in SC. It is a service that is mutually beneficial to drivers and passengers, as evidenced by its rapid and massive success. Your actions were closed-minded at best, and only aggravate the perception of SC as being a backwards, intolerant state.

Gretchen Lopez

From:

Easterling, Deborah

Sent:

Monday, January 26, 2015 12:33 PM

To:

'Gmail'

Subject:

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Dear Ellery Schauer,

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From: Gmail [mailto:elleryschauer@gmail.com]
Sent: Saturday, January 17, 2015 1:09 PM

To: PSC Contact

Cc: RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group

Subject: Uber

When I heard Uber began operations in SC I was thrilled. Every time I have used Uber I have been equally satisfied with their level of service. Previous to Uber operating in SC I enlisted yellow cab, charleston black cab and Green taxi. If the cars of these 3 transportation providers weren't dirty and smelly the ride was excessively expensive and unreliable. Uber has done an excellent job enlisting reliable, courteous, knowledgable drivers with safe, clean cars. Furthermore their prices are right...not excessive in cost and hassle free to pay automatically be credit card. The SC Public Service Commission will create great disappointment across the state and will be doing state residents a tremendous disservice if the cease and desist order on Uber is not lifted immediately.

Sent from my iPhone

From:

Easterling, Deborah

Sent:

Monday, January 26, 2015 12:33 PM

To:

'Amanda Oswald'

Subject:

RE: Sc needs uber

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From: Amanda Oswald [mailto:amandagoswald@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, January 17, 2015 1:06 PM

To: PSC_Contact

Cc: _RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group

Subject: Sc needs uber

Please keep uber in South Caroline. I have always used them in other cities and über in charleston has been life changing. If other major cities make it work why can't Charleston. I was born and raised in Charleston I can count on one hand the number of times I have used a taxi however I have used uber more in the short time they have been in Charleston.

Thanks

Please bring back uber!

Amanda